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CHARGED WITH SERIOUS CRIME

John Edgar Mann Charged With Making Vicious Remarks Against President and Government.

The police of the city arrested John Edgar Mann Saturday charged with assault and battery and with seditiously cursing the President of the United States and making threats against the government and the president. It seems from the best of information we can secure that Mann went into the store of Isaac Jobe and was asking about buying some flour and when informed that he would have to buy an equal amount of meal or cereals, became enraged and cursed the president and government. Mr. A. A. Ramey, an aged gentleman, was in the store at the time and remonstrated with him whereupon he struck him in the face and kicked him severely and had it not been for the interference of other men would have severely injured Mr. Ramey, who is quite an old man but who in spite of his age was ready and willing to fight for his country's honor. At the examining trial this morning in Police Court Mann waived examination and was bound over to the Circuit Court to await the action of the grand jury in the assault and battery case. Judge Turner held Mann in jail to await the arrival of the United States officials in the other case. It is reported that Mann has been talking against the government for several months and that his criticisms have been very severe. At the trial this morning in the Police Court quite a large crowd was present. Government officials are expected here tomorrow and the trial has been set for ten o'clock. Feeling against Mann is very high.

ALL BUT FOUR HAVE RETURNED QUESTIONNAIRES

The Questionnaires of all but four men registered in Montgomery county have been returned. One of the men, Arch Carpenter, white, is believed to already be in the army. John Thomas, another one of the four, is a negro from Florida who registered here but is understood to have left shortly thereafter. The local board did not care to give the names of the other two men at this time. One of them is white and the other colored. The local police have been given the names of these four men and are exerting every effort to locate their whereabouts.

Rooms for Rent—On first floor, suitable for light housekeeping, situated on West High St. Phone 281.

FAKER GETS THE MONEY

A smooth citizen came to this city last week and sold a number of people a gas reducer. He had a large drawing showing the working of the machine which he claimed worked on the same theory as a gasometer and which he claimed would reduce the gas bill from twenty to forty per cent. However when he installed the machine it was found to be only a small thimble shaped affair that simply stopped up a portion of the pipe and retarded the flow of gas. Mayor W. R. McKee heard of the affair and upon investigation found it to be a fake pure and simple and he succeeded in having the money refunded to a number of purchasers, however the man skipped town as soon as he could and a number of citizens are "stung." The thing was worth possibly ten or fifteen cents and were sold for \$5.00.

WILL LOCATE IN CYNTHIANA

Mr. Ewing A. Flynn, of this city, in company with a number of other gentlemen have purchased the business of the Cynthiana Lumber Co., and Mr. Flynn will move to that city to take charge of the business at once. We regret to see this splendid young business man leave our city and he and his interesting family have the best wishes of many friends. Mr. Flynn has been connected with the McCormick Lumber Co., of this city, for several years and the people of Cynthiana are to be congratulated upon having such a man locate in their city.

GETS GOOD POSITION

Lewis Helwig, of this city, has been appointed manager of the Western Union Telegraph office at Hickman, Ky., and will leave shortly to assume his new duties. Mr. Helwig was a member of the class in telegraphy taught by Mr. William Chenault a year or two ago and for the past several months has been employed at the local Western Union office as telegraph operator and messenger boy. His many friends here will be much pleased to know of his deserved promotion, and confidently predict and hope that he "makes good" in his new position.

DOES NOT TAKE EXAMINATION

The report in local papers that Mr. Robt. L. Stone had taken an examination in Cincinnati for entrance into the aviation corps of the United States is a mistake. Mr. Stone went to Cincinnati for that purpose but did not take the examination as he was convinced he could not pass same.

Boarders Wanted—House located on East High, nice rooms, good table. Prices reasonable. 31-1f Mrs. C. D. Pullins.

EUBANK TRIAL SET FOR FEB. 12

Case was Called Last Thursday But Postponed Owing to the Absence of a Witness.

The case, of the Commonwealth vs. Porter C. Eubank, charged with the killing of City Clerk Henry M. Ringo in his cafe on the night of December 26th, was called for trial in the Circuit Court here last Thursday, and upon motion of attorneys for the defendant the case was postponed until February 12th, when it is thought it will go to trial. The postponement was asked in order that a witness might be brought here from Indiana. The case will be tried before Judge Wm. A. Young and the Commonwealth will be represented by attorneys Robt. B. Franklin, of Lexington; W. B. White, R. A. Chiles and Commonwealth's Attorney W. C. Hamilton. The defense will have such able counsel as Edwin P. Morrow, of Somerset; Judge Chas. C. Turner, of Frankfort, and C. W. Nesbitt and Henry Watson, of this city.

When the case was called there was a large crowd in the court room and much interest is being manifested in the trial, and it is expected the court room will be taxed to its capacity during the hearing of the entire case.

Notice.

Those having Smilgen Books for sale can still continue to sell same for two weeks longer, but in case you want to report please see Mr. Chas. T. Hinzler, at the Traders National Bank, who will be glad to accept your money or returned books. I will be out of the city for two weeks and Mr. Hinzler has kindly consented to attend to these matters. However, don't give up trying to dispose of more tickets if you possibly can. I desire to extend my thanks for the help given me by the different people and stores and from my last report I am sure we'll go over the top.

R. L. Coleman, Chairman.

GAS COMPANY SUE

A. J. Humphries, a local florist, has filed suit through John G. Winn, attorney, against the Central Kentucky Natural Gas Company for \$800 damages. It is claimed in the petition that the gas flow was low and inefficient during the recent severe-zero weather and that as a result plants were frozen and damaged in the amount asked. It is the first suit filed here against the company, but it is said that others are contemplated.

RISE GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE

Thomas Rising, charged with the murder of W. F. Schooler, a dairyman of Fayette county, several weeks ago, was found guilty of murder in the first degree by a Fayette jury Friday and sentenced to life imprisonment. Rising was a native of Montgomery county and only moved to Fayette a few years ago.

GOES WITH R. E. PUNCH & CO.

Mr. Bruce P. Duty has resigned his position with The Walsh Co., and has accepted a similar position with R. E. Punch & Co., and invites all his friends to call and see him at his new stand. Mr. Duty is a courteous, honorable, upright and capable gentleman and will make his new employers a valuable man.

BUYS BUILDING LOTS

Mr. M. C. Clay has purchased two building lots adjoining his property on Howard avenue from Mr. N. H. Trimble. The old school building located on one of the lots will be removed.

TOBACCO "POURING IN"

During the past week tobacco has been coming into the local houses at a lively clip and upward of 700,000 pounds were sold over the floors the past week. Last Tuesday the Farmers house sold 222,500 pounds for an average of \$25.48; Wednesday and Thursday The Whitehall sold 216,000 pounds for an average of \$25.34. The Robertson house then followed and sold 35,250 pounds for an average of \$27.35. The Farmers house sold Friday 235,000 pounds for an average of \$24.55. There were no sales held Monday but they will be resumed Wednesday at The Whitehall where a full floor will be offered the buyers. Prices continue about the same and there are many crops averaging better than 30-cents per pound. The weed is being brought to this city in better condition and in larger quantities than at any time since the market opened. Lack of space and time prevent us giving any crop averages this week.

MISS MARY MCCLURE DIES

Word was received here Sunday announcing the death of Miss Mary McClure which occurred at her home at Ghent, Ky., Saturday. Miss McClure was about fifty-six years of age and formerly taught school in the Mt. Sterling Public Graded Schools. She was a daughter of the late Will McClure, of this county, and was widely related throughout Montgomery county. Deceased had been an invalid for several months, suffering with a broken hip. She was a woman of many noble traits of character and in addition to her relatives has many friends here who will be grieved to learn of her death.

CHILD HORRIBLY BURNED

Last Friday at the home of her parents on Spring street, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Blake was horribly and probably fatally burned by falling into an open coal grate. The child is dreadfully burned from the chin down to the knees. She is suffering untold agony and it is very doubtful if she will recover. The child's father is employed at the blacksmith shop of Mr. Henry Greenwald, on Locust street. The accident is a very sad one and the parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their time of trouble.

TO INVESTIGATE GAS COMPANY

Mayor W. R. McKee has issued a call for a meeting of all citizens and residents of Mt. Sterling who are interested in the gas situation, to be present at the Council Chamber tonight at 7:30 o'clock to investigate the affairs of the Central Kentucky Natural Gas Co., and to determine if it is not possible to force the company to give value received.

"HEATLESS MONDAYS" ORDER MAY BE CANCELLED SHORTLY

It is reliably reported that the "Heatless Mondays" order may shortly be rescinded and it is probable that this action may be taken during the present week. This move would meet with popular favor, not only locally, but throughout the entire nation.

Wanted—To do your Dressmaking, also Hemstitching 20 cents yd. Mrs. Sue E. Kohlhus, No. 5 Fairfax St., 32-4t Phone 651, Winchester, Ky.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN DEAD
John L. Sullivan, former champion heavy weight prize fighter of the world, died at Abington, Mass., Saturday, aged 59 years.

Lost—A child's gray hand bag between Presbyterian church and Elm street Sunday morning. Finder return to Foster Rogers.

FINAL DRAFT CALL ISSUED

Last Increment of Present Quota Ordered to Camp Taylor Beginning February 23rd.

Provost Marshal General Crowder yesterday announced that the movement of the last increments of men selected in the first draft will begin February 23rd and continue for a period of five days. This will complete the operation of the first draft, as all States will have furnished their full quotas.

Just what effect the order issued from Washington yesterday, enlisting for the final quotas to the first National Army, on the week of February 23rd, will have on the status of those men registered for service with the local board is not yet known, and will probably remain problematical until some definite ruling has been received either from Washington or from the State Adjutant General's office.

The Montgomery county board here, with an original quota of 88 to send to Camp Taylor, has sent but 40, leaving 48 yet to go under the old regulations, which it is presumed that the government will follow until the first army of 650,000 have all been called, after which the classification system through the questionnaires will guide entirely.

Another problem which confronts the local board lies in the fact that about three-fourths of the 48 men still to be sent under the old quotas are negroes, while a communication from the Adjutant General's office yesterday said that no negroes should be sent to Camp Taylor. General Ellis said last night that he thought they would probably be sent to some other camp yet to be determined.

The Medical Advisory Board at Winchester has recommended the following A1 men as physically qualified for general military service and the local board has upheld its decisions: Roy Baker, Oliver B. Wilson, Chas. E. Heaton, Geo. W. Heaton and Carl Foley. Harry F. Howell, who was placed in Class A1 by the local board, was allowed his agricultural claim by the district board and placed in Class 3. Lester Tharp was allowed his industrial claim and placed in Class 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Drake have moved from their apartment on Bank street to the cottage of Mrs. Pattie Thompson on Clay street, formerly occupied by Wm. Eubank, Jr.

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DR. EDWIN DEAN DIES. VERY SUDDENLY

News was received here Saturday announcing the death of Dr. Edwin Dean, which occurred at his home in South Bend, Ind. His death was very sudden and the cause of same has not been learned. Dr. Dean was a son of the late Ellis Dean and was born and reared in this city. He was a gentleman of the highest type and was known and honored by a wide circle of friends and relatives in this city and Montgomery county. He had made his home in South Bend for quite a number of years where he had built up quite a lucrative practice and was considered one of the first men in the city of his adoption. Dr. Dean was a man of gentle manners and was possessed with a kindness in thought and speech which endeared him to countless friends. He was about 53 years of age and was twice married, his first wife being Miss Emma Dunn and his second, who survives him, Miss Beatie Stover. Besides his wife he is survived by six children, John Edwin, Ellis and Edna by his first wife, and Vivian, William and Lloyd by his second wife. He is a brother of the late Mrs. R. C. Lloyd, of this city. He has one niece living here, Miss Emily Lloyd, besides many other close relatives, all of whom are grieved to learn of the death of this honored and noble man.

Home for Sale.

Having purchased an interest in a lumber concern in Cynthiana and as I am going to locate in that city, I offer for sale privately my home of 7 rooms and bath located on the corner of High street and Samuels avenue. House has been built but a short time and is modern in every particular. Heated with furnace. Lot about 60x200. Splendid neighborhood. See me quick if you want to buy a place worth the money. 32-3t Ewing A. Flynn.

JOE SCOTT WELL PLEASED

According to communications received here by friends, Mr. Joe H. Scott, former proprietor of The Delicious Cafe, of this city, and who recently moved with his family to Los Angeles, Cal., state that he is well pleased with his new home and that he has secured a good position.

GROUND HOG DAY

Saturday, Feb. 2nd was ground-hog day and reports differ as to whether the "old gentleman" was able to see his shadow or not. In the event he did, according to the old adage, there will be six more weeks of winter.

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"Vengeance and the Woman" Episode 5

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7th.
FRANKLYN FARNUM in "THE SCARLET CAR"
Hearst-Pathé News

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8th.
CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG in "MAGDA"
Ford Travels

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9th.
"THE BOTTOM OF THE WELL"
Big "V" Comedy

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11th.
GEORGE SEBAN in "JULES OF STRONG HEART"

Prices—Adults 15 cents; Children 10 cents

Matinees daily at 2:15, except Saturdays at 2:00 and 3:30;
Nights 7:15 and 9:00

COMING—"The Man Without a Country"; Norma Talmadge in "The Moth"; Dorothy Phillips in "Broadway Love"



Don't Wait Until The Last Minute Before Ordering Your Supply Of Implements It May Be Too Late.

PREWITT & HOWELL

WAR WILL BE WON IN 1918, SAYS WILSON

In a message to the nation's farmers, delivered recently to an agricultural conference at Urbana, Ill., President Wilson said he thought statesmen on both sides of the water realized that the culminating crisis of the war had come and this year's achievements would decide it.

The message, which the President intended to present personally until attacked by a cold several days ago, was delivered by President James, of the University of Illinois. Recounting the aggressions of Germany, the President said:

"We are fighting, therefore, as truly for the liberty and self-government of the United States as if the war of our revolution had to

be fought over again; and every man in every business in the United States must know by this time that his whole future lies in the balance.

"Our national life and our whole future development will pass under the sinister influences of foreign control if we do not win. We must win, therefore, and we shall win. I need not ask you to pledge your lives and fortunes with those of the rest of the nation to the accomplishment of this great end.

"You will realize, as I think statesmen on both sides of the water realize, that the culminating crisis of the struggle has come and that the achievements of this year on one side or the other must determine the issue."

The President recalled that farmers fired the first shots at Lexington that set aflame the American revolution for liberty, and expressed the hope and belief that American farmers now will willingly and conspicuously stand by to win this war. He said the farmers did not want themselves exempted from military service as a class, but that the attention of the War Department was centered upon the task of interfering with farm labor as little as possible, and he believed that in the next draft the farmers would find their labor much less seriously drawn upon than in the first.

"We wonder how the Kaiser is going to make peace with God," Detroit Free Press. He fully expects, after he has conquered the earth, that God will sue for peace with him.

Aunt Jemima's Buckwheat and Pancake Flour at Vanarsdell's.

Take our advice and buy NOW what you are going to need in the way of Oliver Plows, Cultivators and Pulverizers, McCormick Mowers and Binders, Hamilton Harrows or anything you may need this Spring in the Implement or Harness Line, as it is almost impossible for us to get these goods any more, and if you wait too long you may not be able to get what you want.

So come in and buy what you want and we will hold it for you until you need it.

GOVERNMENT'S EXPENDITURES FOR WAR PURPOSES LESS

Government receipts and expenditures for the first seven months of the fiscal year up to February 1st, reported by the Treasury, show that actual outlays have been far less than estimates made last June. For ordinary war purposes the Government has spent about \$3,150,000,000 in the seven months, although estimated expense for twelve months were \$12,316,000,000. Loans to Allies, estimated for the year at something over \$6,000,000,000, have been \$3,141,000,000.

Thus, with the year more than half gone, only about one-third of the estimates has been expended.

Expenditures are increasing monthly as the War Department, Shipping Board and other agencies make payments on contracts let some time ago, and if the same rate of increase as reported for the last few months continues, the actual outlay between now and next June 30, the end of the fiscal year, would be about \$7,000,000,000, including allied loans.

Ordinary receipts in that time are estimated at about \$3,230,000,000, including \$2,800,000,000 from internal revenue and \$400,000,000 from war savings stamps. Thus, making allowances for \$750,000,000 now in the general fund, and for \$1,300,000,000 certificates of indebtedness outstanding which must be redeemed by June 30, the actual balance remaining to be raised by bond issues or other means would be somewhat less than \$4,500,000,000.

This figure makes no allowance for expenses which may be incurred in government management of the railroads, and the proposed \$500,000,000 revolving fund for that purpose, nor for the contemplated creation of a \$500,000,000 Government corporation to finance private securities issues. Elements of uncertainty also exist in the estimates of expenses in future months, particularly for the War Department, and in the revenues to be gathered from incomes and excess profits under the war tax act.

Receipts from the sale of war savings stamps are estimated in varying amounts, but many officials believe that with the augmented sale expected in the next few months, the Government will receive \$400,000,000 before June 30.

The Government is now spending about \$24,000,000 a day, or \$725,000,000 a month for its own war expenses and \$15,000,000 a day, or \$450,000,000 a month, for loans to the Allies. For the past three months have increased at the rate of about \$100,000,000 a month, but the rate is much lower than had been expected. Officials of the department now believe that the cost of maintaining the military establishment will fall considerably below the \$8,790,000,000 estimated for the fiscal year, even considering the big expenses of the next three or four months.

Practically all funds from the second Liberty Loan have now reached the Treasury. Seven million dollars of the \$3,005,000,000 total failed to come in because of discrepancies in accounting among the Federal Reserve banks, but this will be paid eventually. About \$10,000,000 from the first loan is still outstanding for the same reason.

JOINS AVIATION

Robert R. Stone, head of the Mt. Sterling & Lexington Transportation Company, who recently passed a fine physical test before the local draft board and was certified for military service, went to Cincinnati last week and enlisted in the aviation. Mr. Stone formerly conducted a garage here and for several years has operated the auto truck service between this city and Lexington. He is eminently qualified for a member of Uncle Sam's flying corps.

Nick Romanoff is said to have plenty of cash in the Bank of England. Uncle Sam might attach it as security for money loaned his government.

The Advocate for printing.

POVERTY DROVE

HIM TO THEFT

Bitterly regretting that he had varied from the straight and narrow path of honesty, almost madened by the cries of his five children for food and the stress of a hard winter which had impoverished his family, George Curtis, held by the authorities at Winchester on the charge of hog stealing confessed to being implicated in the theft of four hogs from George Lewis, near Winchester on the night of November 22nd. Curtis wept bitterly when he narrated to the police the incidents leading up to the theft of the hogs and tears coursed down his cheeks when he referred to his family as suffering from hunger and cold.

"It is my first offense," he told the officers, "and I was lead astray by my accomplice in this crime, who told me there was no danger of being detected." He then told of stealing to keep his wife and children from starving.

"Think of my poor wife and children," he said between sobs. "How they must suffer for the wrong that I have done."

Curtis told the police that implicated with him in the crime was William Pollard, who it is alleged is one of the men guilty of the theft of three hogs from J. H. Keyes a little more than a week ago. In company with Pollard, he said, he went to Winchester on the afternoon of November 22nd, and waiting until nightfall they drove in Pollard's wagon to the Redmon school house on the Mt. Sterling pike and walked about one and a half miles to the Lewis farm where they secured the four hogs and drove them to the school house yard where they knocked them in the head and loaded them in the wagon, carrying them to his (Curtis) home where they were cleaned and the meat divided.

Curtis is forty-two years of age and his appearance leaves the impression that he is a man who has withstood many hardships. He has

Public Sale

—OF—

FINE FARM

AT COURT HOUSE DOOR

Monday, February 18th, at 2 P. M.

Having decided to change climates, I offer for sale my farm of 106 acres, 3 miles from Mt. Sterling and 12 miles from Winchester on the main Mt. Sterling and Winchester pike, with daily bus line to Lexington.

This farm has on it a nice 2-story frame residence of 9 rooms, 2 halls and 3 porches. A1 stock barn, 8-acre tobacco barn, 2 cribs, buggy sheds, garage and all necessary outbuildings, 2 orchards, early and late, besides a lot of different kinds of young fruit trees about ready to bear. It is watered by never-failing well, springs and cistern, also Somerset creek forms part of the boundary. There are about 16 or 18 acres of bottom land. Very little tobacco has been grown on the farm and practically the whole farm will grow tobacco.

The neighborhood is excellent and the location is one rarely offered for sale, it being only about 20 minutes' drive to the county seat, which is one of the most thriving and business towns of the State.

Terms—One-third cash, balance in 1 and 2 years. For further information call on or address

O. B. CLARK

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WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

five children, the youngest of whom is seven months old. Previous to moving to Montgomery county, he said he followed the calling of an umbrella mender and through which he prospered and was married. Soon afterward he met with reverses and gaining a livelihood for himself and his family during recent years has been an uphill task. His confession unravels the mysterious disappearance of the Lewis hogs, for which the Clark county authorities have been conducting a thorough search.

SMALL FARM SOLD

J. Morrison Cox, of this city, sold a few days ago to Mr. Thomas Caudell, of Powell county, his small farm containing about fifteen acres and improvements near Spencer Station and will give possession March 1st. The price paid was about \$1500 cash.

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Having decided to move to Indiana I offer for sale at Public Auction, on

Thursday, February 7

beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Mount Sterling Stock Yards, to the highest and best bidder, without reserve or by-bid, the following personalty, to-wit:

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- 1 Bay Heavy Work Mare in foal to Percheron horse.
- 1 Black Horse, extra fast road horse, gentle for lady
- 1 Family Mare, good worker
- 1 Sorrel Combined Mare, in foal to jack
- 24 of the best Dairy Cows to be found anywhere, mostly all fresh and forward springers
- 50 Heifers, weighing from 400 to 600 pounds
- 34 Home raised Shoats, weighing from 40 to 65 pounds

- 3 Brood Sows due to farrow in March and April, extra good
- 1 Owensboro Wagon, good
- 1 Hay Frame
- 1 Cutting Harrow
- 1 Busy Bee Cultivator, new
- 2 Rastus Cultivators, new
- 1 Steel Beam Break Plow
- 1 Wood Beam Break Plow
- 1 Double Shovel Plow
- 2 Buggies, one new
- 1 Buggy Robe
- 1 Cream Separator
- Other tools too numerous to mention
- Lot of Household and Kitchen Furniture

Terms made known on day of sale.

J. S. LITTLE

Wm. Cravens, Auctioneer

Rural Route No. 2

Mt. Sterling, Kentucky

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Wonder if Mother would have had such success with her culinary triumphs if she had had to cook a la Hoover?

NAVY HAS NEW AND POWERFUL SUB FIGHTERS

New submarine fighters of a powerful type are about to be turned out in the United States in large numbers. After testifying before the House Naval Committee on the Naval Appropriation Bill Secretary Daniels authorized the statement that contracts for "several scores" of the new craft have been placed with the Ford-Motor Company, of Detroit. He described them as "half way between a destroyer and submarine chaser," 200 feet long and equipped with latest discoveries for combating submarines.

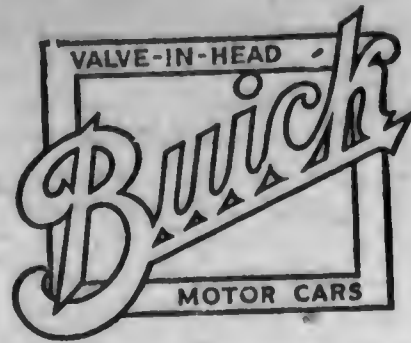
All parts of the ships except the engines are to be fabricated in Detroit and the parts shipped to sea-board, where they will be assembled. Changes in the Ford plant to permit the handling of the work have progressed so swiftly, Mr. Daniels said, that deliveries on the contracts during the coming summer are assured.

The new vessels are expected to prove far superior to the chasers now in use, including those of the 110 class. They will have steam power with a greater radius of action, will be more seaworthy and will be able to carry heavier armament. It has developed that the latest German submarines are equipped with guns that outrange those of small chasers and even some merchant ships.

Notice to the Public.

The firm of E. T. Reis, dealers in poultry, produce, hides, junk, etc., will be continued under the management of the late owner's sons, Messrs. Charles and Howard Reis, but will retain the same firm name, E. T. Reis & Sons. A continuance of the pleasant business relations with the public is anticipated and hoped for and they are assured of the same courteous treatment in the future that they received before the death of the late owner and manager of the business. 32-6t

Cranberries and celery at Vanarsdell's.



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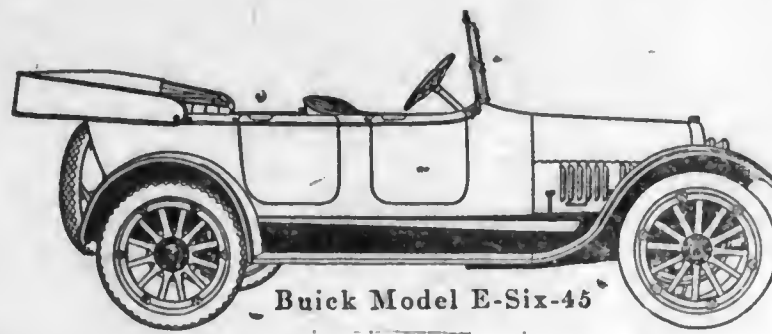
2 Passenger Four cylinder.....	\$ 795
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Judge Earl W. Senff has designated Messrs. Robt. H. Winn, Chas. E. Duff and A. L. Tipton as Tax Supervisors for the ensuing year. Under the new law, the number is reduced to three and one member has been chosen from each Commissioner's district of the county, as divided under the new commission form of government.

The new tax law is quite complicated and it was deemed necessary to appoint a competent lawyer as a member of the Board and in compliance with his pre-election promises to the people that there would be no politics in his official course of action, Judge Senff has named Judge Robt. H. Winn, a leading Republican, as Chairman of the Board. The three gentlemen named are all prominent business men of wide experience, known integrity and proven capacity and will make in our judgment the best Board of Supervisors Montgomery county ever had. It will be the duty of the Board to equalize, by increase or decrease, all property in the county, so that all will be placed upon a basis of equality and in accordance with the relative values of property. A better Board, as we see it, could not be chosen in the county, and the selection of these men guarantees a square deal for all. Under the law the Board will convene for business on the second Monday in March.

SELLS NICE HOME

Mr. Henry Maher, of this city, has sold to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ramsey, of the Grassy Lick neighborhood, his handsome two-story residence and lot 62x354 feet, and will give possession March 10th. Mr. Ramsey and family will move there to live. The price paid was \$4,500 cash and the property is one of the cheapest sold in this city lately. The property was in the hands of W. Hoffman Wood, real estate dealer.

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HAVE NARROW ESCAPE

Mrs. Mary Wood Rice and Miss Olive Wood, who with their mother, Mrs. John C. Wood, and sister, Miss Kathryn Wood, have been living in the West for the past year, were the victims of an automobile accident in Los Angeles, Cal., a few weeks ago in which they had a narrow escape from death. They were returning from one of the beaches with Mr. and Mrs. William J. Stratton in the latter's car. A low-hanging fog had made the asphalt highway very slippery and in turning to avoid another car the Stratton machine skidded and struck a fireplug. All the occupants were thrown violently to the paving when the auto turned over. Mrs. Rice and Miss Wood suffered terrible bruises and cuts and have since been confined to their beds, while Mrs. Stratton was so badly injured it was necessary to take her to a hospital. None of the victims of the accident are seriously injured and advices to relatives here indicate that they will soon be entirely recovered.

The Advocate "Stands for Good Printing."

The Chicago Boys' Brotherhood Republic advertises for "the meanest boy in the United States" and guarantees that in six months he will be made 100 per cent. good. They may be able to make good all right, but it's a safe bet they will have no volunteers.

If the prices of poultry and eggs continue to climb, Sambo may find his nocturnal occupation classed under the head of "capital crimes."



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JUDGE WILL A. YOUNG

Many friends throughout the State, recognizing his splendid ability and matchless force as a campaign orator, are suggesting the name of Circuit Judge William A. Young of this district, as the most available man in the Democratic party, to meet Hon. E. P. Morrow, in the next race for Governor. The astute political writer of the Louisville Times, in his column "What's Doing Among Politicians," recently said:

"The latest to be mentioned in connection with the nomination for Governor on the Democratic side is Judge Will A. Young, of Morehead, present Circuit Judge of the district made up of Rowan, Bath, Menefee and Montgomery counties. Judge Young, who is the Ninth district member, of the Democratic State Executive Committee, has long been in the political game which he knows from start to finish, and being very popular and having a large personal following in Eastern Kentucky, he would add some zest to the gubernatorial race. He is a brother of Judge Allie W. Young, long an active party leader, and through him he would inherit some mighty strong political connections, in the event that he decided to go after the governorship."

Thanks to the Democratic Forward League, Kentucky was one of the first to approve the amendment to the Federal constitution regarding national prohibition and the voters of the State, through the Frost bill, will have an opportunity next year to vote on the question of State-wide prohibition. While it has not yet been adopted, we also believe through its efforts, such counties as Montgomery will be given early relief from shipments of liquor from wet to dry territory. For all these things, we think the people will give the Democratic Forward League the entire credit and will not consider seriously Mr. Stanley's death-bed conversion.

Congressman Kitchin thinks we should tax "till it hurts," yet we have noticed no great anxiety on the Congressman's part to take his own medicine.

Crisco and Mazola lard substitutes for sale by Vanarsdell.

The banks of Lexington have agreed to give each child attending school in Fayette county a 25-cent War Savings Stamp as an incentive to stimulate the sale of thrift stamps.

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New goods arriving daily

CORRESPONDENCE

Stoops.

The sleet and ice has almost stopped traffic this way.

Farmers are working diligently to get their tobacco all down and stripped.

James Jones and wife, who have been visiting relatives at Sharpsburg, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Hood Thompson and daughters, Marie, of Salt Lick, are visiting her sister, Mrs. Lourell Warner.

Miss Viola Gray, of Lexington, is visiting Miss Melvia Frodge.

If the weather remains so it will be almost impossible for people to move.

Born, Saturday, Jan. 26th, to the wife of Roy Byrd, a fine daughter—Ethel Land.

On Sunday, while Grant Tipton, a colored man who is working for T. N. Coons, was coasting his sleigh ran into a telephone pole throwing him around the pole and breaking his leg. Dr. Bush came out and set the fractured limb.

The little daughter of Plen Mopre who was seriously ill, is improving nicely.

D. L. Goodan and son, George, went Friday to visit relatives at Oxingsville. George passed examination and will go to Camp Taylor, at Louisville soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Urban, who have been staying with Mrs. Frances Gillaspie, have taken rooms with Henry Gillaspie and wife in Mt. Sterling and moved there Saturday.

L. H. Fassett, of Johnson City, Tenn., is here visiting relatives.

John Steele and wife, of Dayton, O., came last week to be with Mr. Steele's sister, Mrs. Arthur Jacobs, who is dangerously ill at her home near Judy.

There has been wonderful improvement in road conditions here, having gone from impassable to worse.

Mrs. Edward O. Gorrell, of near Sharpsburg, who has been dangerously ill, is slightly improved.

Mrs. Virgie Johnson, of Bourbon county, is visiting relatives here.

A large crowd attended Mrs. Fannie Gillaspie's sale Wednesday and bidding was very spirited, everything bringing top prices. The most spirited bidding was on the land. Mrs. Gillaspie's farm containing 25 acres and improvements, was knocked down to Thos. Warner at \$1,050.00, and Halley and Kenneth Gillaspie's land, containing 101 acres, was rented to L. E. Griggs, at \$1,080.00.

Miss Stella Copher is attending the E. K. S. Normal School at Richmond.

Emory Bryan fell on the ice Thursday, and badly fractured his left arm.

Some fifteen or twenty farmer boys in this immediate neighborhood are caught in the draft and we presume other sections are hit likewise. These, together with those who have already gone, make prospects for a big crop this year look gloomy.

MERCHANTS SHOWING THEIR LOYALTY

Food Administrator S. S. Pinney has advised us that the local merchants are showing their loyalty by meeting the government set prices on food stuff in the strictest manner. Mr. Pinney says he does not know of any cases where people are hoarding food but wishes us to advise the people that the penalty for this offense is very severe and he urges everyone to strictly observe the law.

Coming to The Tabb soon—"The Man Without a Country," the Thanhouser screen adaptation of the heart-touching story of the man who lost his country. This play is a patriotic triumph and is being recommended and boosted all over the country by the American Defense Society.

The Advocate for printing.

A PEOPLE AROUSED

Whether or not the American people are fully aroused on all matters pertaining to the war, there can be no question as to their being wide awake to the importance of increased food production. As the figures on this season's crop become available the results assume staggering proportions. Such crops the world never has seen. The one item of Irish potatoes shows the amazing yield of 450 billion bushels. Corn is away up alongside of the tubers, and in all lines, except, possibly, wheat, the figures have swelled far beyond anything ever before known in this country of enormous yields.

The result should be a source of great encouragement to our people in many ways. It will tend to give us some idea of the immensity of the domain we are called upon to fight for in order to preserve its integrity. It must also convince that there can be no reasonable fear of hunger in such a land unless we lose either the inclination or the ability to till our soil to the yielding.

The result is also gratifying in that there now is no question of our being able to extend to our allies all needed supplies of food. Last spring this matter loomed darkly as one of the dire possibilities. That it no longer exists will tend to remove at least one of the sources of discontent. Once assured that we shall not want for plenty, our people will view with willingness the exportation of supplies across the waters.

The results of the year's labors should teach one more lesson. We should remember that no task is so great but that with the proper perseverance and grit it may be accomplished. Also that there are very few achievements but may be improved upon. If we can in a single season so largely swell the national production, we should in the next few years, with an arousing of the well known American pluck and ingenuity, be able to discount even that record. In fact it should teach us that we have not yet even imagined a limit to what we could accomplish.

So, whatever other matters may have to give us disquiet, we may be thankful that we shall not hunger—that there is enough and to spare.—Cynthiana Democrat.

The Advocate for printing.

RESIDENCE FOR SALE

The desirable residence property, belonging to the Barnes heirs and situated on West High street adjoining the property of Mr. W. S. Lloyd, is offered for sale privately. The residence contains five rooms, a nice bath room, kitchen and screened porch, is of brick structure and is modern in every particular. Has water, gas and electricity. There is a cistern on the porch. It is situated on a beautiful lot and is considered one of the most desirable pieces of property in this city. There is a large garden, with lots of fruit on the place. Any one desiring a nice little home, centrally located and modern in every particular, could not do better than buy this one. Interested parties will call on

T. K. Barnes

LADIES WORKING HARD

The ladies in charge of the making of surgical dressings are certainly to be complimented upon the splendid work they are doing. In November they made and shipped 488 bandages of various kinds; in December 719 and in January 1179. When it comes to working the ladies of our city are doing their full duty and we should all stand ready and willing to contribute toward buying the materials needed for this work. The Red Cross reports as published in this paper a few weeks ago show that our women are made of the right material and are as patriotic as any in the United States. Have you made a donation? if so, we know you feel good about it and if you will make another you will feel still better.

GAS MAIN BROKEN

The ten-inch gas main supplying Mt. Sterling and other Central Kentucky towns, was broken during the flood in the Kanawa River last week but the company is drawing on the Menefee field until the break can be repaired and we understand same is about completed.

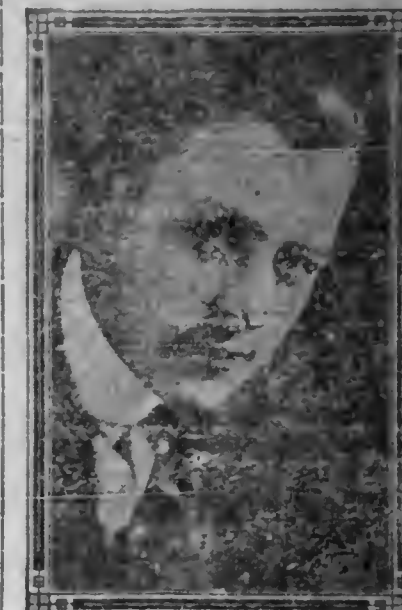
Adding Machine for Sale.

Burroughs, 9 bank, with stand, in good condition. Can be seen in operation at this office, and is offered at a bargain. 31-1f

WILL GO TO FRANCE

Miss Darnaby Henton, member of a prominent Woodford county family, has been accepted for service in the Signal Corps of the United States Government and will shortly sail for France. Miss Henton is known to many of our younger people, having been a visitor here at several social functions.

Fresh Graham and Rye Flour at Vanarsdell's.



HAROLD LOCKWOOD
who will appear at The Tabb Theatre, Wednesday, Feb. 6th, in "Paradise Garden."

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tipton spent Saturday in Lexington.

Miss Mary Tracy, of Danville, is the guest of Mrs. F. J. Schafer.

Mrs. J. W. Bratton, of St. Louis, is the guest of Mrs. J. C. McNeal.

Miss Laura Williams is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Varden, at Paris.

Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Ricketts have returned from a visit to relatives in Texas.

Mrs. Edith Cord is visiting her son, Prof. R. I. Cord, and family, at Cynthiana.

Mr. Bartlett Paxton, of Ashland, spent a few days with relatives in this city last week.

Mrs. Hattie F. Howell visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Howell at Shelbyville the past week.

Miss Lila R. Robertson, of Bethel, was the guest of Miss Mattie Judy Botts last week.

Miss Mary Beall of the University of Kentucky, spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mrs. Nannie Richardson, of Chicago, is the guest of her brother, Davis Ramey and family.

Mrs. W. H. Clarke has accepted a position at High Oaks Sanitarium at Lexington, and has assumed her duties.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Johnson have returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hutton, of Cincinnati, O.

Mr. T. J. Tonkin, Jr., of Frankfort, spent the week-end with his parents, Capt. and Mrs. T. J. Tonkin.

Judge and Mrs. G. A. McCormick left Saturday morning for Eustis, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Mr. Charles Smathers, of the Battleship Michigan, is here for a few days' visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smathers.

Mrs. A. D. Holder, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Paul Mannani, of Danville, were the guests the past week of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Schafer.

Lieut. J. W. Bratton, of 46th Regular Infantry, stationed at Camp Taylor, joined his wife for a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNeal.

Private James Gibson, of Camp Zachary Taylor, who is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia, is here for a visit to his father, Mr. Campbell Gibson, at their home near Camargo.

Mrs. J. C. McNeal and Mrs. J. W. Bratton will go to Louisville this week to be the guests of Lieut. J. W. Bratton at a military ball given by the 46th Infantry at Ha-Wa-In Gardens Friday evening.

Private Bruce T. Turner, of Camp Zachary Taylor, is visiting his mother, Mrs. P. B. Turner, and other relatives in this city.

Mrs. H. B. Turner, Mrs. Lee Orear, Mrs. R. L. Vanarsdell, Mrs. G. B. Senff, Mrs. S. B. Carrington, and Miss Jennie Orear will be among those who will attend the play "Experience," at Lexington Opera House Wednesday.

Messrs. S. S. Pinney, C. S. Humphries, R. L. Vanarsdell, Ed. McNamra, H. B. Ringo, Wesley Richards and Lyman Burgess attended the speaking at Winchester Monday afternoon at which food conservation was the chief topic. District Food Administrator Wm. Sims and Miss Mary E. Sweeney were the speakers. After the speaking the men from this city went to Lexington to see "Experience," at the Lexington Opera House.

City Property for Sale.

I offer for sale privately my residence on Richmond avenue. Six-room house, barn, corn crib, hen houses, etc. Large garden, pasture for cow or horse, city water, natural gas. C. B. Stephens, Phone 603, or call at Advocate office.

LOCAL MEN "HIT IT" IN OIL GAME

In a recent issue of an oil trade paper of Pennsylvania, there was a glowing account of the Eureka Coal & Mineral Co., organized a little over a year ago. The company was organized with a capital stock of \$75,000, the par value of the stock being \$22 per share. The principle holdings of the company are in Breathitt and Lee counties. The greater part of the stock is owned by L. S. Hampton, Prewitt VanMeter, W. S. Duty, Dr. David McKinley and Misses Katherine and Helen Nelson, of Winchester, and Messrs. Marcus, Harvey, Clifton and Dan Prewitt and Lois Thompson, of Mt. Sterling. A few days ago one of the stockholders refused to sell his stock at \$500 per share and the value of the company's property is increasing more and more with each new well.

SAVE CANCELLED STAMPS

Do you know that the returns from the sale of one thousand cancelled stamps will keep a Belgian baby one month?

Well, that's a fact!

Please do not destroy any more envelopes without first tearing off the stamps and saving them. These stamps, if sent to Miss Adele Diefenderfer, or left at the Rest Room for her, will be turned over to the local Red Cross Chapter and sent to the proper address to be turned into nourishment for the Belgian babies.

Let us see how many Belgian babies Montgomery county can support. It will not cost you one cent—just a little care and time.

COMMISSIONERS NAMED

Judge Wm. A. Young has named Messrs. A. S. Hart, Jno. T. Woodford and C. G. Thompson as jury commissioners for Montgomery county for this year. All are splendid gentlemen and will make fine officials.

EASTIN & HARRIS

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Phones: Office 479.
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THE SICK

Master Vivian Flora is ill with German measles.

Miss Paulina Judy was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. James McDonald is at a Lexington hospital for treatment.

Mr. J. W. Chenault, who was dangerously ill last week, is some better.

The condition of Mr. R. C. Robinson shows little change since last week.

Mr. T. H. Wilson, who has been suffering with German measles, is able to be out.

Mr. C. C. Chenault, who has been on the sick list for several days, is able to be out.

Mr. Chas. B. Dale, who fell and sprained his left ankle last week, is out on crutches.

Mrs. Albert Hoffman is getting along nicely and will soon be able to be brought home.

Rev. M. V. P. Yeaman was ill Sunday and unable to fill his pulpit at the Presbyterian church.

Miss Lillian Welch, who was operated on for appendicitis several days ago is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Arthur Jacobs is slightly improved and although her condition still remains serious her speedy recovery is hoped for by many friends.

Little Mary Dillard, Hazelrigg was taken to Lexington last week where her tonsils and adenoids were removed and the little lady is getting along nicely.

Mr. V. M. Hamline, of this city, fell on the street at Lexington Saturday and broke his right leg. He is in a hospital in that city and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Webb Blevins, Jr., who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Lexington several weeks ago, is not improving as rapidly as her physicians hoped for.

Mrs. W. P. Guthrie will be taken to Lexington tomorrow by Dr. W. R. Thompson, where it is probable an operation will be performed. It is feared Mrs. Guthrie is suffering with gall stones.

"FOLLOW DIRECTIONS," AND YOU HELP WIN THE WAR

You would give your life for your country. You would scorn an American whose patriotism ended with waving flags, cheering the troops and standing up when the band plays. You want to serve your country.

Are you willing to do what your Government asks? Are you willing to follow directions?

Are you so comfortably fixed that you can afford to eat what you please? Ah, but you can't afford to eat what your country needs. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS.

Are you saving now of your slender means all you possibly can? Still, as far as your circumstances permit, FOLLOW DIRECTIONS.

Have you servants who can't be made to understand? It is your chore to see that they do. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS.

Follow directions. Today the direction is to save two slices of bread, an ounce of meat, an ounce of sugar, a smitch of butter. Tomorrow as conditions change there will be new directions. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS.

Follow directions. If Germany wins you will be obeying orders given by some one you will not care to obey. Your Government asks you to prove that free people can follow directions.

Follow directions. If we fail in this the war will drag on. As we succeed, we shall sooner have peace. FOLLOW DIRECTIONS.

Chicago has been looted of \$2,000,000 during the past year by robbers. The reason the figures are so low is that the estimate doesn't include the activities of the food profiteers.

In justice to the latter, we will state that the profiteers are in no way related to the old privateers. The latter were gentlemen, preying only on their enemies.

RELIGIOUS

The Young People's Missionary Society No. 2 of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Jack Burbridge Thursday afternoon at 3:30.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist church will be held at the home of Mrs. O. H. Strother Friday, February 8th, beginning promptly at 10:30 o'clock, a. m.

For Sale Privately.

6-room cottage, with water and gas. Lot 51x230 feet. On North Sycamore street.

32-1f Richard P. Winn.

BURLEY STOCK SOLD

A small block of stock in the Burley Tobacco Company sold in Bourbon county last week at 82 cents per share. Par value was \$1.00 when issued. There are several stockholders in this county.

Oleomargarine at 40c per pound, cuts your butter bills.

Vanarsdell & Co.

WILL GIVE DANCE

The Red Cross Society will give a dance at Trimble's Hall Thursday, February 21st. Admission 50 cents, dancing \$2.00. Come and help a worthy cause.

INTERESTING MEETING

The meeting of the Woman's History Club Friday at the club rooms was well attended and proved to be a most interesting one.

Vesuvius is again in eruption, probably in an effort to keep up with the rest of the earth.

King Ferdinand has decided to give his son the throne of Rumania. It is not stated what crime the young man is guilty of to deserve such severe punishment.

For wheatless days and wheatless meals try some rye flour bread.

Vanarsdell & Co.

A PARCEL POST PHARMACY

This is the busy season for the farmer. So, if you need anything in the drug line and do not wish to make a trip to town, just mail or phone your order, and we will send you the goods by first mail. This not only applies to drugs, but to toilet goods, stock and poultry remedies, seeds, paints and in fact all goods carried in our stock. Mail us your prescription and we'll deliver the finished medicine promptly.

BUY BY MAIL

LLOYD'S DRUG STORE

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LIBERTY LOAN PRIMER

Has it ever occurred to you, Mr. Merchant, that in accepting Liberty Bonds in exchange for merchandise you may be seriously interfering with the desires of your government?

Think it over.

Speaking of the practice which has developed here and there Secretary McAdoo says:

"When bonds are exchanged for merchandise, it defeats the primary object of their sale. It discourages thrift and increases expenditures. We are making the strongest effort to have these government bonds purchased for permanent investment by the people at large, to be paid for out of the past or future savings of those who buy them."

Which means nothing more or less than the government is desirous of having the people acquire the habit of saving.

You should be in full sympathy with this. Ultimately you will benefit tremendously from a clientele possessing healthy savings accounts.

Further the Secretary says: "Such bonds, when taken in exchange for merchandise, must in most cases be immediately sold in the open market. This naturally tends to depress the market price of the issue and make it less easy to sell future issues at the same rate."

And to whatever extent you embarrass Uncle Sam in his money-raising efforts, just in that measure

are you lending aid to the Kaiser.

All of us want to win this war just as quickly and with as little loss of life and treasure as possible. None of us want to help the Hun. So, Mr. Merchant, don't do it any more.

Try some Buckwheat Cakes and Maple Syrup from Vanarsdell's.

Wonder if Mother would have had such success with her culinary triumphs if she had had to cook a la Hoover?

Mazola Corn Oil at Vanarsdell's.

At The Tabb Friday, Feb. 8th.



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The Mother Alice Gale
Marie Schwartz Valkrion
Fransiska Kitty Baldwin
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Pastor Thos. Holding
Father Edward Kimball
Kellner Edward Fielding
Max George Merlo

**SPECIAL
Announcement**

We have with us Mr. George O'Brien, representing The Globe Tailoring Co., who has with him an elaborate line of Spring and Summer Samples and is now taking measurements. We urge all our friends to come in NOW and place their orders in advance of future increases in prices.

R. E. Punch & Co.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

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delicious. You know how
toasting improves the flavor
of bread. And it's the
same with tobacco exactly.



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THE COAL SHORTAGE

Now that the government has
gotten the labor question pretty well
in hand, and has virtually assumed
control of railroad activities, it is to
be hoped that the coal shortage can
soon be remedied.

That was a master stroke of pol-
icy in the settlement, wherein the
miners were required to put in a
minimum of time each week, the
penalty for failure to do so being
fines in proportion to the derelict-
ion.

This provision strikes at the key-
note of the trouble. The reason
why the country has suffered a coal
shortage is simply that the coal has
not been mined. Many causes have
worked to produce this result. Part

of these lay with the operators and
part with the men. In some mines
labor disputes interrupted opera-
tions; in others there seemed to be
no ambition to show a large out-
put, but rather the reverse.

The truth of the coal situation,
taking the country as a whole, is
that there is plenty of coal in the
mines and plenty of men to get it
out. If the two are properly con-
nected up there is no valid reason
why the country should suffer from
a lack of fuel. If the operators will
head their energies to increasing
their output rather than controlling
the markets, the situation will soon
take a turn for the better. Let us
hope the recent settlement will have
this effect.

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Miss Emily Lloyd, Phone 469,
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country should help him out to the
extent of about a half million of
his subjects for whom we have ab-
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To co-operate effectively in the
farm-labor problem with the United
States Department of Labor, State
councils of defense, State commis-
sioners of agriculture and labor,
and other official State and local
agencies concerned with supplying
needed farm labor, the Department
of Agriculture has divided the
country into four farm-labor divi-
sions: (1) New England and North-
eastern States, (2) Southern States,
(3) North Central States, and (4)
Western States.

Each of these divisions is in
charge of a representative of the
Department of Agriculture, known
as a supervising farm-help special-
ist, who supervises the work of the
department's farm-help specialists
assigned to the farm-labor work in
single States or two or more ad-
joining States. These farm-help
specialists will co-operate directly
with State agencies, central and
local employment agencies of the
United States Department of Labor,
and with the county agents and
community farm-help committees
which will be charged directly with
meeting labor needs in their specific
localities.

The farm-help specialists through
preliminary labor surveys will en-
deavor to ascertain in advance the
prospective needs for extra labor in
each community. They will work
with State and local agencies to
supply labor deficiencies from local
supplies if possible, or from the
nearest point where labor can be se-
cured outside the community in
need of assistance. All local sources
of labor first will be drawn upon,
and only when the fullest possible
utilization of local labor proves in-
adequate will labor be brought in
from outside. In cases of necessity,
however, through the Department
of Agriculture and the Department
of Labor, arrangements will be
made for interstate movement of
help, in which the Department of
Labor will co-operate in obtaining
extra labor for farm purposes from
the populous communities.

It is pointed out that the farmer
in need of labor should proceed as
follows: He should report his need
to his county agent or to a mem-
ber of the community farm-help
committee. If possible, his need
will be supplied from lists of men
available in the county. If local la-
bor is inadequate, the county agent
or committee will report to the
State farm-labor specialist, who, in
co-operation with the State officials,
will draw on the nearest available
labor within the State.

A farmer who does not know the
name of his county agent or those
on the community committee should
make known his need to his State
farm-help specialist, who will di-
rect his request into the proper
channels and answer questions on
farm-help problems.

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time. I was in misery. My kidneys
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Farmers and others who harvest
natural ice this winter and store it
for summer use will aid greatly in
the conservation of ammonia, vital-
ly important at this time, it is point-
ed out by the United States Depart-
ment of Agriculture.

Ammonia is a necessity in the
manufacture of ice. Every ton of
natural ice harvested means a cer-
tain amount of ammonia saved.
Ammonia salts are regarded as an
essential in the manufacture of
certain fertilizers, and the cost of
fertilizers is dependent to some ex-
tent on the market value of am-
monia. Of extreme significance at
this time, however, is the fact that
the most important chemicals used
in making ammonium nitrate and
other explosives are readily made
from ammonia, and every quart of
America's already small supply of
this substance that can be saved
means more power to America's
armies.

Thus the farmer is interested in
the conservation of ammonia not
only from a national standpoint but
because of his personal interests.
Ammonia saved through harvesting
of natural ice means more ammonia
for fertilizers and more ammonia
for ammunition. The man who
harvests ice now and stores it in
pits or ice houses may have the
satisfaction next summer of helping
out his neighbor who depended on
an ice plant.

In addition to the saving of am-
monia, conservation of coal is to
be effected through the harvesting of
natural ice. American ice factories
and refrigerating plants, according
to figures of the United States Fuel
Administration, use annually 15,000-
20,000 tons of coal.

How it must strafe those haughty
flyer crews to be compelled to take
a siding while a battered old coal
train crawls by and limbers on up
the track before them.

The Advocate for printing.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

The machinery by which the pur-
chase of a Thrift Stamp or a War
Savings Stamp is to be made as
easy and convenient as the purchase
of a spool of thread or a pound of
ails, in every community in the
United States, is rapidly being es-
tablished. Already 185,000 War
Savings Stamp Agencies have been
established and by the close of
January this number will have been
increased by 350,000.

In addition to these agencies
there will be 1,000,000 "sales sta-
tions," which do not receive direct
authorization to make the sales
from the Secretary of the Treasury,
but obtain their stamps from au-
thorized agents and sell them over
their counters at their cashiers'
windows, and other places.

Fifty thousand post offices now
have War Savings Stamps on sale
and 29,000 banks and 8,000 individ-
ual firms and corporations have

been appointed agents. Nine thou-
sand interstate corporations having
places of business in several States
will constitute 115,000 additional
agencies.

An intensive campaign is now on
for the establishing of War Savings
societies which can be organized by
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the Moslems?

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"Besides the sacrifices at the front, there must be sacrifices at home in a thousand ways I need not enumerate. Every man, woman, and child must help to sustain those who fight. I do not like the phrase 'do your bit.' We must do vastly more than a 'bit.' We must do our best."—Clarence Ousley, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, in address at St. Louis.

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The suggestion is made that the Government let up on the prosecution of the "trusts" during the period of the war. And why not? We have declared a moratorium for all enlisted men. The "trusts" may not be giving their lives to the country, but they are giving their life blood—money, by the millions. Let's forget the old sores for the time being, and perhaps time and the war will heal them.

Stable for Rent.

Stable on Main street near Advocate office. See Pinney-Griggs Co. 24-1f

NEW DRAFT TESTS NOT TO EXEMPT SLIGHT DEFECTS

New regulations for selective draft physical examinations were issued last week, by Provost Marshal General Crowder in preparation for extension of the policy of accepting for special and limited service registrants unfitted for general military duty. They will bring into the service under the next draft many men who otherwise would be exempted.

The local boards are directed to pass upon registrants for general military service only when they come within the standards of unconditional acceptance or rejection. The Medical Advisory Board for further examination. Hereafter there will be no unconditional rejecting of men who have remediable defects.

Under the old regulations men under five feet in height were unconditionally rejected. In the future men if fifty-eight inches, if exceptionally well proportioned, may be taken, and if not exceptionally well proportioned their cases must be referred to the medical board. Registrants above seventy-eight inches, when not exceptionally well proportioned, also are to be referred to the Medical Advisory Board for classification.

The maximum weight established by the regulations is 100 pounds, unless the underweight is "plainly due to some recent illness and otherwise the registrant have no disqualifying defects," but the cases of registrants weighing between 100 pounds and 114 pounds are to be referred to the Medical Board.

Registrants under weight in proportion to their height, unless it is plainly due to some temporary cause, also go to the Medical Board.

The Provost Marshal General announced that specific regulations and information soon are to be given to the Medical Advisory Board concerning special and limited military service for registrants unfitted for general service.

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An Oregon man makes the statement in his questionnaire that he is 9 feet 6 inches tall and weighs 123 pounds. Evidently swallowed a string and shrunk to it.

New Figs at Vanarsdell's.

Vesuvius is again in eruption, probably in an effort to keep up with the rest of the earth.

COULD HARDLY STAND ALONE

Terrible Suffering From Headache, Sideache, Backache, and Weakness, Relieved by Cardui, Says This Texas Lady.

Gonzales, Tex.—Mrs. Minnie Philpot, of this place, writes: "Five years ago I was taken with a pain in my left side. It was right under my left rib. It would commence with an aching and extend up into my left shoulder and on down into my back. By that time the pain would be so severe I would have to take to bed, and suffered usually about three days. I suffered this way for three years, and got to be a mere skeleton and was so weak I could hardly stand alone. Was not able to go anywhere and had to let my house work go. I suffered awful with a pain in my back and I had the headache all the time. I just was unable to do a thing. My life was a misery, my stomach got in an awful condition, caused from taking so much medicine. I suffered so much pain. I had just about given up all hopes of our getting anything to help me.

One day a Birthday Almanac was thrown in my yard. After reading its testimonials I decided to try Cardui, and am so thankful that I did, for I began to improve when on the second bottle. I am now a well woman and feeling fine and the cure has been permanent for it has been two years since my awful bad health. I will always praise and recommend Cardui." Try Cardui today. 21-78

THE PHOTODRAMA

Stories, Notes and News Items Concerning Film Stars and "Movies" in General.

Edited by Harry W. Mills



HAROLD LOCKWOOD

Harold Lockwood is one of the handsomest and most popular stars in pictures today, and while yet very young he has had considerable experience in motion picture, playing with Famous Players and other companies before becoming a star in Metro wonderplays. His athletic physique and talented acting has endeared him to old and young, male and female alike. His latest starring vehicle is "Paradise Garden" (Metro) a scenic production of real merit with Lockwood at his best, which will be shown at The Tabb Tomorrow (Wednesday), Feb. 6th.

Suggested Scenario for Fairbanks.

Dissipated Eastern youth disowned by wealthy dad—Punches cattle—meets a girl pursued by outlaws bad; Climbs a building—makes a raid—swings to safety with the maid—This would make a bully script for Fairbanks!

Another Prima Donna in Pictures.

Gerardine Farrar and Mary Garden, twin stars of opera and photodrama, renewed acquaintance and compared notes at the Goldwyn studio. Miss Garden's current Goldwyn picture is "Thais."

Conservation.

Wm. Duncan is not worrying about the styles in men's clothes. Through-out the serial, "Vengeance and the Woman," Mr. Duncan wears overalls and a jumper. This Western stuff certainly is a slap in the face to the high cost of living.

Slim's Other Name is "Tuesday."

Slim Summerville, one of the stars in Mack Sennett-Paramount Comedies, has been christened Tuesday at the Studio. Tuesday is meatless; Slim is meatless; so there you are. His latest work is in "It Pays to Exercise," a forthcoming comedy.

The Classics on the Screen.

Three years ago the academicians of drama avowed that the quartet of great European dramatists could not be translated to the screen. We refer to Ibsen, Shaw, Hauptmann and Sudermann. One by one the works of these masters have recently made a deep impression on photoplay. Only Shaw remains untried. This brings us around to Clara Kimball Young and her presentation of Sudermann's masterpiece, "Magda." Here is human life taken at its most exalted and its drabdest moments. Sudermann's plot has been copied many times in so-called original photoplays, never quite with success. Clara Kimball Young in her depiction of a brilliant young girl confined to bigoted home surroundings and who in future years becomes a great prima donna and returns home to find the man who has wronged her an evil genius in her family, has surrounded herself with a well-balanced cast. Each sordid or noble characterization stands out like a fine-cut cameo. Miss Young's rendition of facial emotions has never been clearer or stronger.—M.P. Magazine.

"Magda," Clara Kimball Young's first production again under her own management, will be the feature attraction at The Tabb Theatre, Friday, Feb. 8th.

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Figures from examinations made by Army and civilian shoe experts at Army camps show that only about 15 per cent. of the men wear shoes which fit properly. Of the several groups of men examined 28 per cent. wore shoes one-half size short, 26 per cent. wore shoes a full size short, and 8 per cent. wore shoes two sizes short.

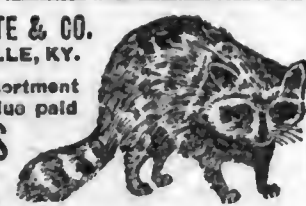
Reports ascribe the high proportion of misfits to the inclination of men to choose shoes too small, faults of method and supervision of fitting, insufficient numbers of larger and narrower sizes, and incorrect marking of sizes by manufacturers.

There should be no surprise at the fact that Bolshevik leaders have seized all the private banks of Petrograd. Isn't that what a Bolshevik is out for—loot?

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Tuesday, February 26, 1918

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1 5-year-old Shorthorn Cow	1 McCormick Grass Seed Stripper
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1 O. I. C. Sow, with five pigs	1 Set of Blacksmith Tools
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comforts and luxuries, even necessary expenditures that can be postponed, if there is to be labor and material enough to equip the army in time for it to fight while it will do some good to have it fight.

In war the only effort that is of any value is that which is ultimately translated into gun fire on the field of battle. The gun fire that will win this war cannot be delivered until all America recognizes individual responsibility, until the whole people join in the effort by giving up things that they can do without, so that the labor that would have been employed in making those things can do work that will ultimately result in gun fire. The government has offered the opportunity to translate at once every one's personal patriotism into the sort of help that will win the war. Forego buying something that is unnecessary; loan the money you would have used to the government by buying \$5 war savings certificates. You will thus have released labor, you will have given credit to the government, you will have acquired the best security in the world, a United States government bond.

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THE WAY THE WAR LOOKS TO A YOUNG GERMAN GIRL

The following letter from a Prussian girl to a friend in Switzerland may throw light upon that amazing state of mind of the Prussian people which leads them to support and applaud their king in plunging the world into war. For behind the war, and the real cause of it, there is a Prussian way of looking at things. That way is so foreign to our American ideas of right and wrong that Americans can hardly understand it or believe that it exists.

The letter is printed in the Congressional Record, and is taken from page 8046 of the volume for the recent session. No doubt this girl is just an average Prussian in the ideas she shows regarding a supposed Prussian right to rule the world. She expresses the idea a little more simply and frankly than the Prussian statesmen—that is all. That a great intelligent people like the Prussians can be so ignorant and perverted in their moral ideas is what is hardest for Americans to understand.

"Frankfort on Order, July 20, 1916. "My Dear Louise: The contents of your last letter would have hurt me had I not known that your thoughts of our glorious war resulted from sheer ignorance. "You are in a country rendered effeminate by the influence of old-fashioned ideas of liberty, a country which is at least two centuries behind ours. You are in need of a good dose of Prussian culture.

"It is evident that you, a Swiss girl, with your French sympathies, cannot understand how my heart, the heart of a young German girl, passionately desired this war. Speaking of it some years ago, my father said to us: 'Children, Germany is getting too small for us; we shall have to go to France again in order to find more room.' Is it our fault if France will not understand that more money and land are necessary for us?

"And you reproach us that our soldiers have been very cruel to the Belgian people, and you also speak of the destruction of Rheims, and of the burning of villages and towns. Well, that is war. As in every other undertaking, we are pastmasters in the making of war. "You have a great deal to learn before you can come up to our standard, and I can assure you that what has been done so far is a mere bagatelle compared with what will follow.

"As a matter of fact, there is but one race worthy of ruling the world, and which has already attained the highest degree of civilization. That race is ours, the Prussians; for though we Germans in general are the lords of the world, the Prussian is undoubtedly the lord par excellence among the Germans.

"All other nations, and among them, unfortunately, the Swiss, are degenerate and of inferior worth. That is why I have always been so proud of being a true Prussian.

"Yesterday again our pastor explained to us convincingly that our first parents, Adam and Eve, were also Prussians. That is quite easy to understand, because the Bible tells us that the German God created us all after His own image. If, then, all men are descended from Adam and his wife, it follows that only Prussians, or at least Germans, ought to exist in the world, and that all who push on and prosper ought to belong to us. You must admit that is logic, and that is why our motto is, 'God with us, Germany above everything.'

"You know now why we wished this war. Is it not shameful that other nations, who have no right to existence on this earth, wish to diminish our heritage? We are the divine fruit and the others are only weeds. That is why our great emperor has decided to put an end to all these injustices and to extirpate the weeds. Do you understand that now?

"I remain, your school friend, "KATIE HAMEL."

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WOMAN A WORLD POWER

What is to be the status of the American woman when this war is over? This is a question that is exercising the minds of a great many people these days. For a generation, now, she has been contending for equal political rights, and of late years she has been coming into her own in this particular. For a number of years, too, she has been gradually invading the ranks of business, though not to any alarming (?) extent. But with the calling of the millions of men to the army, the call has at last come to woman to demonstrate that she is, as members of her sex have long contended, capable of shouldering the business load and bearing it manfully.

It is no uncommon sight now to see women doing what has always been considered "men's work." Not such as clerking, bookkeeping and all forms of clerical work, but hard labor, work that until lately it was not thought that women were capable of performing. We see them on public works of various kinds, in factories and work shops; and just lately a great steel magnate was quoted as saying that he would not be surprised if before long he had to take on a thousand women to take the place of men drafted for the army.

And to the credit of the women be it said that in the great majority of instances they are making good. They are not only developing an ability for work and business that a few years ago would have surprised the world, but they really appear to enjoy the work.

There may be at the bottom of their success the long suppressed desire to show themselves independent of man for a subsistence. If this be the case they have reason to be gratified, as they are fast becoming a recognized factor in all the activities of life.

But, when the present emergency is past, will woman resume her old sphere of semi-dependent and home body; or will she hold tenaciously to what she has gained and refuse to be ousted from her recently won vantage? In case she should consent to resume her old status, the world would soon readjust itself and human life would continue to flow on as before. But in the latter event, the entire business fabric of the world will have to be remodeled and new adjustments and alignments made. The addition of a few million female workers will work a great change in labor conditions—a change that will call for careful handling.

But perhaps the most vital question in this connection is that of its influence on the homes of the land. The United States has always been pre-eminently a nation of homes. With us the home life has been enthroned above every other interest of life, and nothing was suffered to interfere with its highest possible development. Will the home suffer in the years to come? Before the question of "the woman at work" is solved, this one vital question will have to be answered, and on its answer hangs the destiny of a nation.

WHERE DIXEYLAND BEGINS

Down where the handclasp's a little stronger,
Down where a smile dwells a little longer,
That's where Dixeyland begins.
Down where the sun is a little brighter,
Where the snows that fall are a trifle whiter,
Where the bonds of home are a wee bit tighter,
That's where Dixeyland begins.

Down where the world is in the making,
Where fewer hearts with despair are aching,
That's where Dixeyland begins.
Where there's more of singing and less of sighing,
Where there's more of giving and less of buying,
And a man makes friends without half trying—
That's where Dixeyland begins.

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Food Prices for Montgomery County

NOTICE TO GROCERS:

Refuse to sell wheat or graham flour to customers unless they also purchase an equal number of pounds of cereals in the list prepared by the United States Food Administration. Rye flour is not in the government list of cereals.

Refuse to sell more than twenty-four pounds of wheat or graham flour to city or town customers, or more than forty-eight pounds to rural or country customers.

Any attempt to exchange cereals purchased in connection with wheat or graham flour, for any other commodity, will be considered an attempt to evade the rules.

Retail grocers must cancel all orders for wheat flour not in strict compliance with the above rule.

Prices quoted below are for high-grade goods. Top prices entitle the purchaser to best service. Telephone 115 if overcharged.

Following Prices Effective Week Beginning February 4, 1918:

SUGAR			
	Retailer Pays Per 100 Lbs.	Consumer Should Pay Per Lb.	
Beet, granulated, in bulk.....	\$7 85	to \$7 95	\$0 8 1/2 to \$0 9
Southern cane, granulated, in bulk.....	8 15		8 to 9
Eastern Cane, granulated, in bulk.....	8 25		9 1/2 to 10
POTATOES			
	Per 100 Lbs.		Peck (15 Lbs.)
Kentucky, first grade.....	2 50	to 2 65	45 to 55
Kentucky, second grade.....		2 25	40 to 45
Northern.....	2 60	to 2 65	45 to 50
Western.....		3 00	55 to 60
FLOUR			
	24-Lb. Paper Bags		
First grade.....	1 35	to 1 40	1 60 to 1 65
Broken packages, 5 lbs or less.....			7 to 7 1/2
LARD			
	Per 100 Lbs.		Per Lb.
Pure leaf, bulk.....	27 00	to 28 00	30 to 35
*No. 3 cans.....	82	to 82 1/2	90 to 95
*No. 5 cans.....	1 35	to 1 37 1/2	1 55 to 1 65
*No. 10 cans.....	2 70	to 2 73	3 00 to 3 25
Standard pure, bulk.....	26 25	to 26 87 1/2	28 to 31
*No. 3 cans.....	77	to 80	85 to 90
*No. 5 cans.....	1 28	to 1 32 1/2	1 40 to 1 55
*No. 10 cans.....	2 56	to 2 65	2 80 to 3 10
CORN OIL			
Pints.....		30	32 to 35
Quarts.....		56 1/2	58 to 65
Half gallon.....		1 05	1 07 to 1 25
Gallon.....		2 02 1/2	2 11 to 2 40
COTTONSEED SHORTENING			
	Per Lb.		Per Lb.
Bulk.....	22 1/2	to 23	25 to 26
CORN MEAL			
	Per 100 Lbs.		Per Lb.
White.....	4 60	to 5 10	5 1/2 to 6 1/2
Yellow.....		5 00	5 1/2 to 6 1/2
BEANS			
	Per 100 Lbs.		Per Lb.
Navy, Michigan.....	14 75	to 15 25	17 to 19
Lima.....	14 75	to 15 25	17 to 19
Pinto.....	9 80	to 10 00	13 to 15
Chilian Red.....	9 80	to 10 00	13 to 14
Chilian White Marrow.....	10 65		13 to 15
HOMINY			
	Per 100 Lbs.		Per Lb.
Bulk.....	4 75	to 5 25	6 to 7
RICE			
	Per 100 Lbs.		Per Lb.
Fancy head.....	8 50	to 9 00	10 1/2 to 12 1/2
Blue rose.....	7 75	to 8 50	9 1/2 to 10
BACON (WHOLE PIECES)			
	Per Lb.		Per Lb.
Best grade.....	37 1/2	to 41	45 to 50
Medium grade.....	34	to 34 1/2	39 to 40
PRUNES			
	Per 100 Lbs.		Per Lb.
Forty to fifty.....	11 37 1/2	to 14 00	14 to 18
Fifty to sixty.....	10 75	to 13 00	13 to 17
Seventy to eighty.....	9 50	to 10 50	12 to 15
BREAD			
	Per Lb.		Per Lb.
One Liberty loaf.....	7	to 7 1/2	8 1/2 to 9
Two Liberty loaves.....	14	to 15	16 to 17

Above prices are for cash and the dealer has the option of raising the price on charge accounts.

Sugar

Grocers are requested to sell not more than five pounds to city and not more than ten pounds to rural customers. Large boarding houses are requested to purchase not more than a two days' supply.

The Food Administration calls upon every loyal American to help win the war by rigid observance of the following program, whether meals are served in the home or ordered in a hotel or restaurant.

MONDAY—WHEATLESS DAY, ALSO ONE MEATLESS MEAL.

TUESDAY—MEATLESS DAY, AND WHEATLESS EVENING MEAL.

WEDNESDAY—WHEATLESS DAY, ALSO ONE MEATLESS MEAL.

THURSDAY—ONE MEATLESS MEAL, ALSO WHEATLESS EVENING MEAL.

FRIDAY—ONE MEATLESS MEAL, ALSO WHEATLESS EVENING MEAL.

SATURDAY—PORKLESS DAY AND WHEATLESS EVENING MEAL.

Wheatless Days and Meals.

Use no crackers, pastry, macaroni, breakfast food or other cereals containing wheat.

Use no wheat flour in any form, except the small amount necessary for thickening some soups or gravies or for a binder in cornbread or other cereal breads.

If you bake at home use other cereals than wheat. If you use baker's bread buy only war bread.

Meatless Day and Meals.

Use no cattle, hog or sheep products. On other days, use mutton and lamb in preference to beef or pork.

Porkless Days

Use no hog products, lard, bacon or ham, fresh or preserved.

If we were as willing to leave the punishment of our enemies in the hands of the Lord as we are the rewarding of our friends, there would be less strife in this old world.

Typewriter for Sale.

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